

Agricultural.

POTATOES.

Messrs. Editors.—As the time for planting potatoes is approaching, I send you the result of a careful experiment made with different manures, with the remark that I shall make a similar trial this Spring, and trust that some of my brother farmers may do the same on limestone, slate and gravel soils.

On the 19th of last May, I selected 126 Mercer potatoes, without core, as nearly the same size as possible, weighing about three to the pound—cut each potato into two pieces lengthwise, and planted them in my garden, in rich, sandy loam soil, in hills 2½ feet apart, 3 pieces in each hill—and attended to them myself.

No. 1. 12 hills, 3 pieces to each hill.—Kentish guano, manufactured in New-York—2 oz. to the hill, covered one inch with ground before applying the guano—one inch on top of guano.

No. 2. 12 hills, 3 pieces to each hill.—Saline fertilizer, manufactured in Philadelphia, covered as No. 1.

No. 3. 12 hills, 3 pieces to each hill.—Potatoes first rolled in plaster—covered one inch with soil, 2 oz. of plaster then applied, and again covered with one inch of earth.

No. 4. 12 hills, 3 pieces to each hill, applied 3 oz. air slaked lime, and covered as No. 1.

No. 5. 12 hills, 3 pieces to each hill. Short barn-yard manure on the potatoes, covered two inches with earth.

No. 6. 12 hills, 3 pieces to each hill. Short barn-yard manure under potatoes, covered two inches with earth.

No. 7. 12 hills, 3 pieces to each hill—covered one inch with earth, applied 2 oz. peruvian guano, and covered with another inch of earth.

On the 23d of September I raised them and carefully weighed the product of each 12 hills.

No. 1. Kentish guano, weighed 44 lbs.
No. 2. Saline fertilizer, weighed 60½ lbs.
Clear smooth skin.

No. 3. Plaster, weighed 42½ lbs.
No. 4. Lime, weighed 41 lbs.—found one new potato, and skin of all rough.

No. 5. Manure on top, weighed 34 lbs. this fifth of all nibbled by mice and moles, and the seed was eaten.

No. 6. Manure below, weighed 44½ lbs. Also eaten, but not so much as No. 5.

No. 7. Peruvian guano, weighed 67½ lbs. Even in size, smooth skin, and free from excrescences.

I had before tried Peruvian guano on wheat, corn and oats. On the oats there was a marked benefit—the growth was taller, and the color a darker green—the spots where it had been sown could be observed at the distance of a hundred yards. On wheat and corn I could perceive no difference.

A. O. HESTER.
—Harrisburg Telegraph.

To Distinguish Good Eggs for Setting.

All those having setting hens would do well to take notice of the following remarks, and they will have a chicken for every egg they set:

Take eggs not more than three or four days old, and have a candle or lamp; hold the egg in one hand with the broad end upwards, close to the candle; place the edge of the other hand on the top of the egg, and you will immediately perceive the incubation end. Some people can tell a pullet from a rooster. The mark for a rooster is crosswise, and pullet lengthwise. Another way is to place your tongue on the large end of the egg, and will find a strong heat if fresh and good, and less heat if old and doubtful. Eggs put by for hatching should never be put in a damp cellar, as the dampness destroys this heat.

Foot rot in Cattle.

A correspondent wishes to know how to cure this disease. He says the cattle in that region are suffering very much from it, and that many of them are losing their hoofs.

The disease which our correspondent describes is analogous to the "foot rot" in sheep, it is prevalent in cold, low, marshy countries and is the consequence either of feeding in wet pastures during the winter months, or permitting animals to wallow in their filth.

Treatment.—Of course the first and great leading indication of cure is to remove the cause. This done, the cure is easy; indeed, it is often all that is required. First of all, then, see that the animal is removed to a dry situation. Then wash the part affected with warm water and soap, and for the purpose of liberating morbid matters that may be burrowing in the soft parts, apply a relaxing poultice. Take say—Slippery Elm, Pond Lilly, bruised, and powdered charcoal, equal parts. Mix with boiling water, and put the ingredients into a bag, and secure it above the fetlock. As soon as a free discharge of matter takes place, abandon the poultice, and if the discharge is offensive, wash the cleft morning and evening, with salt water, or what is perhaps better salt and vinegar.

If the animal's general health appears bad, give the following mixture at a dose, and occasionally repeat:—Flour of Sulphur, half an ounce; Powdered Sassafras bark, one ounce; Burdock, (any part of the plant,) two oz.; Steep in a quart of boiling water, and when cool strain.—The Plow, The Loom, and The Anvil.

Don't do it.—Do not, during this season of the year, permit your cattle to tramp over your grass land, thus breaking the sward and rendering it uneven. Every farmer should, if possible, have water for his stock in the yard, or near the barn. Running water is always preferable if you can obtain it—but otherwise, dig a well and put a pump into it and thus supply your thirsting herds.

Stroudsburg and Easton

Port Jervis, Mauch Chunk and Scranton



STAGE LINES.

The Stroudsburg and Easton mail line of stages, consists of excellent four horse coaches, and leaves J. J. Postens' Indian Queen Hotel, Stroudsburg, Pa. every day (except Sundays) at 7 o'clock A. M. arriving in Easton before the departure of the cars for New York, or stages to Bethlehem and Allentown.

The following lines leave Postens' Indian Queen Hotel, Stroudsburg, Pa. every Monday, Wednesday and Friday, returning on alternate days:

A line to Port Jervis, leaving at 7 o'clock A. M. via Bushkill, Dingman's Choice and Milford. Returning, leaves Port Jervis immediately after the arrival of the morning train of cars to New York, at about 8 o'clock A. M.

A line to Mauch Chunk, leaving at 7 o'clock A. M. via Brodheads, where it connects with lines to Wilkes-Barre and Wheat Haven.

A line to Scranton, leaving at 7 o'clock A. M. via Bartonsville, Tannersville, where it connects with a line to Honesdale, and connecting at Scranton with the cars for the west.

These lines hold out strong inducements to the traveling public—passing through sections of the country which are as magnificent and picturesque as any in the Union. Having provided themselves with excellent coaches, good horses, and careful drivers, they feel confident that they will be enabled to give entire satisfaction to all who will patronize them.

STOUFFER & OSTRANDER, Proprietors.

August 19, 1852.



A SURE REMEDY FOR WORMS.

The testimony in its favor is overwhelming. The proprietors are daily in receipt of letters and certificates, going to prove its remarkable efficiency to all cases of worms, both in children and adults. The relief given, and the immediate improvement of health which follows its use, has called the attention of physicians to this article, and they freely recommend & prescribe it in their practice. The retail price is 25 cents per vial which brings it within the means of all.

Brooklyn, L. I. January 16, 1847.
I do certify that I gave one bottle of B. A. Fahnestock's Vermifuge to my child, and in seven hours it passed 23 large worms. Any person doubting this may apply for further information at my residence corner of York and Jackson st's.

JAMES McCAFFREY.

Poughkeepsie, N. Y. March 2, 1844.

I certify, that I took two vials of B. A. Fahnestock's Vermifuge, which I found to be the greatest cure for worms I have ever used. I have been troubled with tapeworms for a number of years, and I have never found so good a medicine as B. A. Fahnestock's Vermifuge. I therefore recommend it.

MARTHA CLIFT.

The public is cautioned against counterfeits and spurious articles, and to put no confidence in statements that "Kolmstock's," and "S. Fahnestock's Vermifuge," are the same or as good as the only genuine article, which is B. A. Fahnestock's Vermifuge.

For sale in Stroudsburg, by T. Schuch.

Stroudsburg Jewelry Store.

The subscriber having purchased the entire stock of Clocks, Watches, Jewelry, &c. of John H. Melick, intends carrying on the Watch Making and Jewelry business in all its various forms, and in a manner, he trusts, that will give the most entire satisfaction, not only to himself but to those trusting the above mentioned articles with him to be repaired. He has renewed his stock by recent purchases in the city of New York, which, together with his former stock, makes his assortment at this time one of the most splendid ever before offered in Stroudsburg; among which may be found all the latest fashions in the structure and embellishment of dress Jewelry, viz: Breast Pins, Ear Rings, Finger Rings, Gold Locketts, Snaps, Bracelets, Slides, Silver Spoons, Butter Knives, and Britannia Ware, together with a large assortment of Gold and Silver Watches, Clocks, Perfumery, &c., together with all the articles that can be found in any establishment of the kind.

Watch Repairing

Being an important as well as a skillful part of his business, he flatters himself he can give as general satisfaction to his customers and the public as can be done by any one, as he intends to keep none but the best workmen in his employ; and feeling confident that all shall have entire satisfaction done, he intends to devote his whole time and attention to that important branch of his business.

Anything in his line that he may not have on hand, will be promptly procured from the city, by calling on the subscriber at his shop, on Elizabeth street, two doors west of J. H. Melick's old stand.

SAMUEL MELICK.

Stroudsburg, May 6, 1852.

WHOLESALE GROCERS.

WATERMAN & OSBOURN,

N.W. Corner Second and Mulberry Streets,

Philadelphia.

OFFER FOR SALE A LARGE ASSORTMENT OF

TEAS, COFFEES, SUGARS,

MOLASSES, SPICES, &c. &c.

Those commencing New Stores are particularly invited to call.

Attention given to Produce.

Philadelphia, January 27, 1853.—3m.

Every Family should have a copy.

An invaluable book, only 25 cts. per copy—Man know thyself.

DR. HUNTER'S MANUAL & HAND BOOK for the afflicted. Containing an outline of the Origin, Progress, Treatment and Cure of every form of disease, contracted by promiscuous Sexual Intercourse, by Self-abuse, or Sexual Excess, with advice for their prevention, written in a familiar style, avoiding all medical technicalities, and everything that would offend the ear of decency, from the result of some twenty years successful practice, exclusively devoted to the cure of diseases of a delicate or private nature.

To which is added, receipts for the above diseases, and a treatise on the causes, symptoms and cure of the Fever and Ague, for twenty-five cents a copy; six copies one dollar; will be forwarded to any part of the United States, by mail, free of postage. Address, post office, "Box, 196 Post Office," the Author, 38 North Seventh Street Philadelphia.

FIFTY DOLLARS FORFEIT. Dr. Hunter will forfeit \$50 if failing to cure any case of secret disease that may come under his care, no matter how long standing or afflicting. Either sex are invited to his Private Rooms, 38 North Seventh Street Philadelphia, without fear of interruption from other patients. Strangers and others who have been unfortunate in the selection of a Physician are invited to call.

IMPORENCY.—Through unrestrained indulgence of the passions, by excess or self-abuse, the evils are numerous. Premature impotency, involuntary seminal discharges, wasting of the organs, loss of memory, a distaste for female society, general debility, or constitutional derangement, are sure to follow. If necessary, consult the Doctor with confidence; he offers a perfect cure.

READ AND REFLECT.—The afflicted would do well to reflect before trusting their health, happiness, and in many cases their lives, in the hands of Physicians ignorant of this class of maladies. It is certainly impossible for one man to understand all the ills the human family are subject to.—Every respectable physician has his peculiar branch, in which he is more successful than his brother professors, and to that he devotes most of his time and study.

YEARS OF PRACTICE. exclusively devoted to the study and treatment of diseases of the sexual organs, together with ulcers upon the body, throat, nose, or legs, pains in head, or bones, mercurial rheumatism, strictures, gravel, irregularities, disease arising from youthful excesses, or impurities of the blood, whereby the constitution has become enfeebled, enables the Doctor to offer speedy relief to all who may place themselves under his care.

Medicines forwarded to any part of the United States.—Price five and ten dollars per package. [Nov. 18, 1852.—1v.]

300,000 Brick,

Just burnt and for sale by the subscriber. These bricks are of a large size and of a superior quality, and will be sold as low and lower, according to quality, than any other brick in the County. A portion of them are pressed or front, and cornice Brick of different kinds. Said Brick are composed of material that will stand the fire with impunity, thus answering for the purpose of building bake-ovens, &c., all of which will be retailed at the following rates:

Pressed or front brick at \$1.50 per hundred
Best common hard brick 90 do do
Best salmon do 75 do do
Best soft do 50 do do
Filling-in-brick 25 do do

N. B.—All kinds of grain, at the highest market price, taken in exchange for Brick, and Cash not refused.

WILLIAM S. WINTENUTE.

Stroudsburg, September 30, 1852.

India Rubber Gloves, Mittens, &c.

COUNTRY MERCHANTS, in making their purchases, should not neglect these desirable and saleable articles. Their manufacture has been much improved recently and they are made very durable.—Particular attention is requested to the

Wool Lined Gloves and Mittens.

They are indispensable in cold and wet weather. Ladies will find these Gloves useful in any work that will soil the hands, at the same time that they will cure the worst Salt Rheum or Chapped Hands immediately. They are made all lengths to protect the arms and wrists.

For sale by Wilcox, Billings & Co. No. 3 Church Alley, Phila. Goodyear's 65 Chesnut street do. J. & H. Phillips, Pittsburgh, Pa. Falconer & Haskell, Baltimore, Md. H. W. Shiffer, Charleston, S. C. Bart & Hickey, Cincinnati, Ohio, and by all Rubber Dealers in the Union.

For sale at retail by Country Merchants generally.

November 25, 1852.—2m

NEW FIRM

AT THE OLD STAND,

No. 71 Northampton Street, Opposite the

Easton Bank.

THE subscribers having entered into a partnership for the purpose of continuing the Drug and Paint Business at the old stand of the late Mr. John Dickson, would offer their stock of Drugs, Medicines, Paints, Oils, Glass, &c. &c. to old customers of the stand and Physicians and dealers in general. Please call and try us.

W. J. DICKSON,

A. N. SAMPLE.

Trading under the firm of *Dickson & Sample*.

Sole Agents for Wetherill's Pure Ground White Lead.

Easton, July 17, 1851.—1y

PAPER HANGING.

C. U. Warnick,

RESPECTFULLY announces to the citizens of Stroudsburg and the surrounding country, that he still continues the above business, and may be found at his establishment on Elizabeth street. All orders for Paper Hanging will be punctually attended to, and executed in the best style, upon the most reasonable terms.

N. B.—WINDOW SASH, painted and glazed, of all sizes, constantly on hand and for sale at the above establishment.

Stroudsburg, April 15, 1852.—1y

Lead and Iron Pipe.

A general supply of Lead and Iron Pipe of all sizes, on hand at all times, and for sale

DICKSON & SAMPLE.

Easton, July 17, 1851.—1y.

UNION HOTEL.

The subscriber has opened

his new Hotel and is ready to

accommodate all who may favor

him with their custom.

JOHN H. MELICK.

Stroudsburg, May 27, 1852.—6m.

BLANK DEEDS

For sale at this Office.

TANNERSVILLE

Iron and Brass Foundry.

The subscriber takes this method of informing the public generally, and millers and farmers especially, that having purchased of Mr. Samuel Hayden, late proprietor of the Stroudsburg Foundry, all his Patterns and Fixtures, he has removed the same to his Foundry in Tannersville, Monroe co., Pa., and having increased the machinery of the establishment, he is prepared to execute all orders in his line of business, in the best manner and with despatch, and therefore respectfully solicits the patronage of the public. He will manufacture cast and wrought iron work of all descriptions, including

Mill Gearing,

for flour and other mills, mill screws, bark and corn mills, together with castings of every description turned and fitted up in the best possible manner. As particular care will be taken to employ some but the best workmen, and no pains will be spared, he feels confident of being able to give general satisfaction. All so

STEAM ENGINES

made to order.

BRASS CASTINGS

such as spindle steps, shaft and gudgeon Boxes, &c., will be made to order. Old copper and Brass taken in exchange at the highest price. Patterns made to order.

Threshing machines and Horse Powers of the most approved construction, will be furnished to order at the shortest notice.

STOVES

of all kinds, for coal or wood, cook stoves &c., on hand or made to order, for sale wholesale or retail.

PLOWS,

of the most approved plan will be kept on hand, and every variety of plow castings on hand and for sale.

Wrought iron mill work will be done on the most reasonable terms. The best kind of sled shoes and polished wagon boxes and hollow ware will always be kept on hand.

JACOB STOUFFER.

January 1, 1852.—1y

New Whole Sale and Retail

WINE & LIQUOR STORE,

Stroudsburg, Pa.

The undersigned would inform Landlords and the public generally, that they have just opened the above business in Stroudsburg, in the store house formerly occupied by John H. Melick as a Jewelry Store, and have on hand a large stock of

WINES AND LIQUORS

of all kinds and of the best quality, direct from the Custom House, which they are prepared to sell to Landlords and others on the most reasonable terms. Our stock consists of French Brandy, dark and pale. Also, Peach, Blackberry, Cinnamon and Cherry Brandy; Holland Gin, N. E. Rum; Irish, Rye and Apple Whiskey; Lisbon, Claret, Port, Sweet Malaga, Currant and Champagne Wine, &c. &c. Also, on hand a large stock of Bitters of all kinds.

Demijohns, from ½ to 5 gallons; bottles, and generally any thing that can be asked for in our line.

Landlords will find it greatly to their advantage to deal with us. We have no hired agents to sell and distribute liquors for us at great expense, which must be paid for by the consumer. Those dealing with us intend shall be satisfied with the article they get, as well as the price, and whenever they are not, we will be pleased to have them return the liquor, and make the fact known, for we intend to make it a permanent business, and can only do so by dealing honestly. All orders sent by stage drivers or others, will be promptly attended to, the same as though the person was present dealing for himself.

July 8, 1852. P. S. POSTENS & Co.

Dissolution of Partnership.

Notice is hereby given that the partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned in the Mercantile business, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. All persons indebted to said firm are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims or demands will please present them to Jacob Stouffer who is duly authorized to settle the same. All accounts remaining unpaid on the first of July next, will be placed in the hands of a Justice of the Peace for collection.

JACOB STOUFFER,

STEPHEN KISTLER.

Tannersville, May 11, 1852.

The subscriber, thankful for past favors, respectfully announces to the public that he will continue the business at the old stand, and respectfully solicits a continuance of the public patronage.

50,000 SHINGLES and a large stock of various kinds of Lumber on hand and for sale low.

JACOB STOUFFER.

May 27, 1852.—6*

The Old Barley Sheaf,

On Hand Again!

M. WATSON is happy to inform his old friends and customers that he is prepared to receive as many of them as may favor him with their custom, at the new Hotel erected on the site of the Old Barley Sheaf, (which was destroyed by fire in July last.)

The House is much increased in size and convenience, and possesses every accommodation which can contribute to the comfort of the traveler.

The TABLE and the BAR will be furnished in such a manner as cannot fail to please.

A large yard, with stabling for one hundred horses.

M. WATSON, Proprietor.

No. 193 North Second st., Phila.

SOAPS.—fine scented Soaps for wash-

ing and shaving—also the celebrated

shaving cream, for sale by

SAMUEL MELICK.

Stroudsburg, Nov. 18, 1852.



MONROE COUNTY

Mutual Fire Insurance Compy.

The rate of Insurance is one dollar on the thousand dollars insured, after which payment no subsequent tax will be levied, except to cover actual loss or damage by fire, that may fall upon members of the company.

The net profits arising from interest or otherwise will be ascertained yearly, for which each member in proportion to his, her, or their deposit, will have a credit in the company. Each insurer in or with the said company will be a member thereof during the term of his or her policy. The principle of Mutual Insurance has been thoroughly tested—has been tried by the unerring test of experience, and has proved successful and become very popular. It affords the greatest security against loss or damage by fire, on the most advantageous and reasonable terms.

Applications for Insurance to be made in person, or by letters addressed to JAMES H. WALTON, Sec'y.

MANAGERS.

John Edgar, John S. Heller, Andrew Storm, James H. Walton, Silas L. Drake, M. H. Dreher, Geo. B. Keller, Richard S. Staples, Robert Bays, Joseph Trach, Jacob Stauffer, Charles D. Brodhead, Michael Shoemaker.

B. S. STAPLES, President.

J. H. WALTON, Treasurer.

Stroudsburg, Sept. 23, 1852.

ELECTION RETURNS.

THE Election returns being now all in, the people are beginning to turn their attention to other matters, and to supply one of their most important wants, we have just received and offer for sale at our store in Stroudsburg, a very large assortment of READY-MADE

WINTER CLOTHING.

Including Overcoats, common and fine at all prices, from \$5 to \$15; fine dress and frock coats, business coats, &c.; a large assortment of pantaloons, cloth, cassimeres, sattinett, corduroy, and of all varieties; a good assortment of vests, of a great variety of patterns; cotton shirts and woolen under-shirts and drawers, &c., neckcloths, &c.

TAILORING.—A large assortment of excellent broad cloth and other stuffs, on hand, which will be made up according to order, at short notice, and in the best style.

DRY GOODS.